## MATERNITY CARE PROGRAM FACT SHEET

- 1. To enroll in the Maternity Care Program you must apply for Medicaid. You must be eligible for Medicaid to participate in the Maternity Care Program.
- 2. You must live in one of these counties: (list counties of your district)
- 3. You may only go to doctors, nurse midwives, clinics, hospitals and other maternity providers that are a part of the <u>name of your program goes here</u>. <u>Example, Viva, Alabama Baby Care) Program.</u>
- 4. Medicaid will not pay for any of your maternity care if you go to any medical provider that you are not enrolled with or one who is not part of the Maternity Care Program where you live. If you do this and it is not an emergency you will have to be responsible for paying the bill.
- 5. Tell your Care Coordinator if: you change your address or phone number; you move to another county or state; you miss a doctor's appointment; you go to the emergency room at a hospital for any reason; you have a question about your pregnancy or you need help with something.
- 6. You should follow all instructions given to you by your care coordinator and doctor or nurse midwife you have chosen.
- 7. If you change your mind about your choice of doctor or nurse midwife or hospital where you want your baby to be delivered tell your Care Coordinator.
- 8. Keep the card that has the name and information about your Care Coordinator on it and your Medicaid card. You will be asked to show both of these cards during your pregnancy.